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Washington, D.C. 20231

Attorney's Docket Number: 05725.0347-01

Prior Application:

Customer No. 22,852

Art Unit: 1616Examiner: K. George

SIR: This is a request for filing a Continuation Application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) of pending prior Application No. 09/258,809 filed February 26, 1999 of Carolyn CAES, Margarita MONTES DE OCA, Paul THAU, Gary G. GRAVES, Greg NORMAN, Carl ORR, and Mohamed G. KANJI for COSMETIC COMPOSITIONS CONTAINING DI-BLOCK, TRI-BLOCK, MULTI-BLOCK AND RADIAL BLOCK COPOLYMERS

1. ☒ Enclosed is a complete copy of the prior application including the oath or Declaration and drawings, if any, as originally filed. I hereby verify that the attached papers are a true copy of prior Application No. 09/258,809 as originally filed on February 26, 1999.
2. ☒ A Preliminary Amendment is enclosed.
3. ☒ The filing fee is calculated on the basis of the claims existing following entry of the Preliminary Amendment identified in paragraph 2 above.

For	:	Number Filed	:	Number Extra	:	Rate	:	Basic Fee \$740.00
Total	:		:		:		:	
Claims	:	18 -20=	:	0	:	x\$ 18.00=	:	\$ 00.00
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Claims	:	6 -3=	:	3	:	x\$ 84.00=	:	\$ 252.00
Multiple Dependent Claim(s) (if applicable) : +\$260.00=:								
Total = :								\$992.00
Reduction by 1/2 for filing by small entity : -								
TOTAL FILING FEE = :								\$992.00

4. ☒ A check in the amount of \$ 992.00 to cover the filing fee is enclosed.
5. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required including fees due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 and any other fees due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17, or credit any overpayment during the pendency of this application to Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

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6. ☒ Amend the specification by inserting before the first line of page 1, the sentence:
- This is a continuation of Application No. 09/258,809, filed February 26, 1999, which is incorporated herein by reference.--
7. ☐ New formal drawings are enclosed.
8. ☒ The prior application is assigned of record to: L'Oréal, as shown by the Assignment recorded on June 22, 1999, at Reel 010045, Frame 0469.
9. ☐ Priority of application _____ is claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119. A certified copy is on file in the prior application.
10. ☐ A verified statement claiming small entity status
- ☐ is enclosed or ☐ is on file in the prior application.
11. ☒ The power of attorney in the prior application is to at least one of the following: FINNEGAN, HENDERSON, FARABOW, GARRETT & DUNNER, L.L.P., Douglas B. Henderson, Reg. No. 20,291; Ford F. Farabow, Jr., Reg. No. 20,630; Arthur S. Garrett, Reg. No. 20,338; Donald R. Dunner, Reg. No. 19,073; Brian G. Brunsvold, Reg. No. 22,593; Tipton D. Jennings, IV, Reg. No. 20,645; Jerry D. Voight, Reg. No. 23,020; Laurence R. Hefter, Reg. No. 20,827; Kenneth E. Payne, Reg. No. 23,098; Herbert H. Mintz, Reg. No. 26,691; C. Larry O'Rourke, Reg. No. 26,014; Albert J. Santorelli, Reg. No. 22,610; Michael C. Elmer, Reg. No. 25,857; Richard H. Smith, Reg. No. 20,609; Stephen L. Peterson, Reg. No. 26,325; John M. Romary, Reg. No. 26,331; Bruce C. Zotter, Reg. No. 27,680; Dennis P. O'Reilley, Reg. No. 27,932; Allen M. Sokal, Reg. No. 26,695; Robert D. Bajefsky, Reg. No. 25,387; Richard L. Stroup, Reg. No. 28,478; David W. Hill, Reg. No. 28,220; Thomas L. Irving, Reg. No. 28,619; Charles E. Lipsey, Reg. No. 28,165; Thomas W. Winland, Reg. No. 27,605; Basil J. Lewris, Reg. No. 28,818; Martin I. Fuchs, Reg. No. 28,508; E. Robert Yoches, Reg. No. 30,120; Barry W. Graham, Reg. No. 29,924; Susan Haberman Griffen, Reg. No. 30,907; Richard B. Racine, Reg. No. 30,415; Thomas H. Jenkins, Reg. No. 30,857; Robert E. Converse, Jr., Reg. No. 27,432; Clair X. Mullen, Jr., Reg. No. 20,348; Christopher P. Foley, Reg. No. 31,354; John C. Paul,

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12. ☒ The power appears in the original declaration of the prior application.
13. ☐ Since the power does not appear in the original declaration, a copy of the power in the prior application is enclosed.
14. ☒ Please address all correspondence to FINNEGAN, HENDERSON, FARABOW, GARRETT and DUNNER, L.L.P., 1300 I Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20005-3315, **Customer Number 22,852.**
15. ☐ Recognize as associate attorney _____
16. ☒ An Information Disclosure Statement and PTO Form 1449 will follow.


PETITION FOR EXTENSION. If any extension of time is necessary for the filing of this application, including any extension in the parent application, Application no. 09/258,809, filed February 26, 1999, for the purpose of maintaining copendency between the parent application and this application, and such extension has not otherwise been requested, such an extension is hereby requested, and the Commissioner is authorized to charge necessary fees for such an extension to our

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